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### REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

Applicant's attorney, on behalf of the Assignee of record, hereby requests the issuance of a Certificate of Correction for the following Applicant errors pursuant to 35 USC §255, and for the following Patent Office errors pursuant to 35 USC §254:

## Correction is requested for the following Applicant errors:

Specification, Col. 1, line 56, after "multiple", change "settops" to - - set-tops - - .

Specification, Col. 4, lines 11/12, change "gateway type" to - - gateway-type - - .

Specification, Col. 7, line 44, after "385" delete - - and - - .

Specification, Col. 7, line 57, after "embodiment", add - - , - - .

Specification, Col. 8, line 46, after "within", insert - - a bandwidth of - - .

Claim 9, Col. 11, line 1, after "density", add - - (PSD) - - .

Claim 12, Col. 12, line 6, after "density", add - - (PSD) - - .

#### Correction is requested for the following Patent Office errors:

Specification, Col. 1, line 8 after "return", add - - paths - - .

Specification, Col. 1, line 8, before "Ser.", insert - - U.S. patent application - - .

Specification, Col. 1, line 9, after "1996", insert --, --.

Specification, Col. 1, line 10, after "5,881,362", insert --, --.

Specification, Col. 5, line 56, change "Band" to -- Band -- .

Specification, Col. 8, line 13, after "signal 400 is", insert - - present - - .

Approval and entry of the above corrections is respectfully requested.

In the event additional amounts are due as a result of this request for certificate of correction, authorization is hereby given to charge the undersigned attorney's PTO Deposit Account #50-1047 accordingly. Also filed herewith is PTO Form 1050, duly completed.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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